



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Masato SUZUKI et al.**

Group Art Unit: **3681**

Serial No.: **10/644,067**

Examiner: **Saul Rodriguez**

Filed: **August 20, 2003**

Confirmation No.: **4345**

For: **WET-TYPE SEGMENTED FRICTION MATERIAL AND ITS  
MANUFACTURING METHOD**

Attorney Docket Number: **031034**

Customer Number: **38834**

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
Customer Service Window  
Randolph Building  
401 Dulany Street  
Alexandria, VA 22314

Date: March 16, 2005

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated November 16, 2004 for one month from February 16, 2005 to March 16, 2005.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the cost of the extension. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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